



PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Emergency Medical Services Agency
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Recruitment Notice **Santa Clara County EMS Agency** **EMS System Medical Director**

Contract Position: Part-Time

Compensation:

- ◆ \$100.00/hr to a maximum of \$60,000/yr
- ◆ EMDAC Membership
- ◆ Opportunity to work with an energetic, enthusiastic and knowledgeable professional staff
- ◆ Cell Phone & Pager

Qualifications:

The successful applicant will be Board Certified in Emergency Medicine and licensed as a physician in California; familiar with pre-hospital protocols and system issues; experienced in emergency department practice and trauma services; accustomed to working with multi-disciplinary committees; live within or in close proximity to Santa Clara County; and reliable.

Personal Traits:

The successful applicant will have

- Positive interpersonal skills,
- Leadership skills,
- Good communication facility, both written and verbal patience; and
- Ability to work collaboratively with well-qualified, multi-disciplinary professional staff

Responsibilities:

The Medical Director will provide

- off-line medical control for pre-hospital care throughout Santa Clara County
- treatment and transport protocols for all pre-hospital providers within the County
- direction in setting criteria for a CQI program within the system
- guidance for enhancement of the EMS System, which includes a Trauma System
- a review and resolution of patient care complaints
- agenda for County Medical Directors' Committee
- input to and attendance at the state Medical Direction Committee, and
- assistance in monitoring and evaluating system activities



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County Profile: County population of 1.8 million residents with an additional large workforce that commutes daily into "Silicon Valley". There are twelve hospitals, including two (ACS verified) level I Trauma Centers and one (ACS verified) level II Trauma Center. One of the Level I trauma facilities maintains an On-line Base Station for emergency responders. There is a County Communication Center that dispatches all ambulances, and twelve other PSAPs. There are eight permitted ambulance services, one of which is AMR, the 9-1-1 Contract Provider. There are eleven fire departments, seven of which provide first responder services. Two air ambulance providers base in the County.

EMS Agency: The responsibility for EMS in Santa Clara County is delegated to the EMS Agency which is within the Public Health Department, of the Health and Hospital System. The Agency maintains a small but committed professional staff with a variety of educational credentials including a Ph.D. and several Masters prepared nurses and paramedics.

Applications: Please send a letter indicating interest in the position, qualifications, and a current CV to:

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